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In re Application of:

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**SUBMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 41.33 & MPEP § 1206(I)**

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated **October 21, 2009**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.